

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
NATIONAL OCEANIC AND ATMOSPHERIC ADMIN.
NATIONAL MARINE FISHERIES SERVICE

FISHING VESSEL LOGBOOK RECORD

FISHERY MANAGEMENT PLAN (FMP) COMPLIANCE

YOU ARE ADVISED THAT DISCLOSURE OF THE INFORMATION REQUESTED IN THIS REPORT IS MANDATORY FOR THE PURPOSE OF MANAGING THE FISHERIES IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE FISHERY CONSERVATION AND MANAGEMENT ACT OF 1976 (16 U.S.C. 1801 ET. SEQ.). FAILURE TO REPORT MAY RESULT IN CIVIL AND ADMINISTRATION PENALTIES NOT TO EXCEED \$25,000.

NAME OF VESSEL

PERMIT NUMBER

NOAA FORM 88-186
(REV. 3-92)

OMB NO. 0648-0016

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FISHERY MANAGEMENT PLAN (FMP) COMPLIANCE LOGBOOK

Instructions for Trips where 10% of the Catch are Sharks

A **SEPARATE** logbook form must be completed for **EACH SET** that is made when sharks make up more than 10% of the total catch by weight. For **ALL** trips where any species of **SHARKS** are caught the weigh-out or sales receipts **MUST BE ATTACHED AND SUBMITTED** with the logbooks. The logbook form will be returned to the permit holder if the weigh-out sheet(s) is (are) not attached. If logbooks are not received for all fishing trips during the year, the fishing permit will not be renewed for the following year.

Please clearly print all requested information for each form. Unreadable or incomplete forms will be returned to the permit holder and have to be resubmitted.

All forms are to be submitted not later than three (3) days after the completion of each trip.

Enter **Captain's Name** and a **telephone number** where you can be reached for verification and/or clarification of catch/effort information.

Enter **Vessel Name**, **Vessel Registration Number**, and **Federal Permit Number** as they appear on the permit. It is critical that the vessel number and permit number be recorded accurately in order to assure that the reporting requirements are associated with the correct permit holder for compliance purposes.

Note: If you have not fished during a calendar month, then fill in the designated line with the month and year. Stop filling out the form at this point and mail it to the Southeast Fisheries Science Center.

Record the **calendar date sailed** (month, day, year) and **return date** (month, day, year), and the **port** (city) and **state** where catches were unloaded. Note, dealer name and location do not have to be recorded if the name and address is on the weigh-out sheets.

Record the **set date** (calendar month, day, year) and **time** (designate AM or PM) when set began. Record the **haulback date** and **time**.

At the start of each set, record the location to the nearest degree of **Latitude** and **Longitude**, the **depth** at which the lines were fished, and the **surface water temperature**.

Designate **primary Target fishery** (only one box should be checked).

Enter the following data for each longline set:

- length of mainline in miles;
- length of gangions in feet;
- length of float lines in feet;
- number of hooks set;
- number of hooks between floats;
- number of light sticks;
- time (hours) that longline was fishing;
- record the kind of bait and designate live or dead;
- indicate whether line was continuously tended.

If another type of gear is used, record the required data on a separate form **FOR EACH SET OR OCCURANCE THE GEAR IS PUT IN THE WATER** for the appropriate gear.

Record the **NUMBERS** of fish by species that were kept and the **NUMBERS** that were thrown back (discarded). Specify the numbers of fish thrown back **ALIVE** and the numbers thrown back **DEAD**.

Record the **NUMBERS OF EACH SPECIES OF SEA TURTLES INVOLVED** as follows:

- total number involved;
- number injured;
- number killed.

Instructions for Trips where less than 10% of Catch is Sharks

General Instructions:

A **SEPARATE** logbook form must be completed for each change in fishing gear or fishing location, where location is defined as one degree in latitude or longitude. The intent of using different forms is to associate the number and pounds of each species that are caught in different locations or with different types of gear.

For trips where species of **SHARKS** are caught and landed, the weigh-out or sales receipt **MUST BE ATTACHED AND SUBMITTED** with the logbook form(s). The logbook form will be returned to the permit holder if the weigh-out sheet(s) is (are) not attached. If logbooks are not received for all fishing trips during the year, the fishing permit will not be renewed for the following year.

Please clearly print all requested information for each form. Unreadable forms will be returned to the permit holder and will have to be resubmitted.

All forms are to be submitted not later than three (3) days after the completion of each trip.

Specific Instruction:

Captain's Name - Enter the first and last name of the captain of the vessel for this fishing trip.

Captain's Signature - The person responsible for the operation of the vessel on this trip must verify the accuracy of the data on this logbook by signing it.

Phone No. - Please include a telephone number where you can be reached in case there are any questions regarding the information provided on the logbook form.

Vessel Number - Enter the official U. S. Coast Guard documentation number or state registration number for your vessel as entered on the permit application. **Note**, this number is important for tracking the reporting compliance for logbook regulations, please record this number accurately.

Federal Permit Number - Enter all letters and numbers for the permit issued by the NMFS, for example, FGNN-000-91.

Vessel Name - Enter the vessel name as it appears on the permit application.

NOTE: If you have not fished during a calendar month, then fill in the designated line with the month and year. Do not complete the remainder of the form and mail it to the Southeast Fisheries Science Center.

Date Sailed - Enter the month, day and year that the vessel departed for this fishing trip.

Data Landed - Enter the month, day and year that the vessel returned to port for unloading.

Port of Landing and State - Enter the name of the port and the state where the fish from the trip were unloaded.

Dealer Name - Enter the name of the seafood dealer to whom you sold your catch. Please use the complete name of the business. If weigh-out sheets are attached and the dealer's name and address are on the sheets, this information does not have to be recorded.

Dealer's City/State - Enter the city and state where the dealer is located.

Date and Time Fishing Began - Enter the month, day, year and time of day, with AM or PM checked, when fishing began.

Date and Time Fishing Stopped - Enter the month, day, year and time of day, with AM or PM checked, when fishing ended.

Target Species - Check the box that best describes the primary species that you were fishing for on this trip. Only check one box.

Fishing Location - Enter the latitude and longitude to the nearest degree of the fishing location when the gear was removed from the water.

Fishing Depth - Enter your estimate of the depth where fishing occurred during this trip. Indicate whether the depth is recorded in feet or fathoms. If fishing occurred at different depths during the trip, record the depth where most of the fishing occurred.

Water Temperature - If known, enter the surface water temperature.

Gear - Specific instructions follow for each type of gear.

SHARK OR PELAGIC LONGLINE:

Type of Fishery - Check whether this gear was used to target sharks or other pelagic species, i.e., swordfish, tunas, etc.

Mainline Length - Record the length of the surface longline in miles.

Gangion Length - Record the average length, in feet, of the gangion that are used on the longline for this set.

Float Line Length - Record the average length, in feet, of the float lines.

Number of Hooks - Record the number of hooks that were used on the surface longline for this set.

Number of Floats - Record the number of hooks between floats.

Number of Light Sticks - Record the number of light sticks that were used on this longline set.

Soak Time - Record the total amount of time, in hours, that the longline was fished for this set.

Bait - Record the kind of bait used and check whether it was dead or live.

Line Tended - Check the box labelled YES, if the longlines were tended continuously during the fishing trip. Check NO, if the longline was not tended between the initial set and the haul back.

TRAWL:

Type of Trawl - Check the appropriate box that indicates whether bottom, mid-water or shrimp (otter) trawls were used on this trip.

Number of Nets - Record the number of trawls that were fished, i.e., 2, 4, etc.

Number of Tows - Record the number of tows that were made during this trip.

Average Tow Times - Record the average length of time, in hours, for each tow. This number multiplied by the number of tows should be a reasonable estimate of the total amount of time that the trawls were in the water fishing during this trip.

Description of Trawl: Record other types of trawls, besides bottom, shrimp or mid-water, used on this trip.

GILL NETS:

Soak Time - Record the total time (hours) that the nets were in the water fishing during this fishing trip.

Length - Record the length in feet or fathoms (be sure to check which measurement is used) of the float line for the net.

Depth/Width - Record the length in feet or fathoms (check the appropriate type of measurement) for the depth of the net.

Mesh Size - Record the stretch mesh size for the nets that were used on this trip.

Check whether the nets were drifting or anchored.

HOOK & LINES:

Number of Lines Fished - Record the number of lines fished on this trip for the specific type of hook & line gear, i.e., Bandit, Manual Rod and Reel, Electric Rod and Reel or Hand Line.

Average Number of Hooks per Line - Record the average number of hooks fished per line for the appropriate type of hook & line gear during this trip.

Hours Fished - Record the total time in hours fished with this type of gear.

SPEAR FISHING:

Number of Divers - Record the number of divers that used one or all three of the types of spear fishing gear - i.e., explosive points, spear gun or sling/pole spear.

Hours in the Water per Diver - Record the estimated number of hours that each diver was in the water fishing during this trip for each of the three types of spear fishing equipment.

BUOY:

Number of Lines Set - Record the number of individual units of gear used during the trip.

Line Length - Record the average length, in feet, of the buoy lines that were fished during this trip.

Soak Time - Record the average amount of time (from start of set to start of haul back), in hours, that each set of buoy gear is in the water. This number multiplied by the Number of Lines Set will be used as an estimate of total fishing time for this trip.

Number of Hooks per Buoy Line - Record the average number of hooks that were used on the buoy lines for this trip.

Bait - Check the appropriate box for dead or live bait.

REEF FISH LONGLINE:

Number of Sets Made - Record the number of times that this fishing gear was used during the trip.

Average Number of Hooks per Set - Record the average number of hooks on the gear for each set.

Average Line Length - Record the average length of the line in miles.

Average Time Sets Fished (hr) - Record the average time in hours the bottom longlines were in the water between sets (from start of set to start of haul back).

FISH TRAP:

Number of Traps Set - Record the total number of traps that were in the water during this trip. If different sizes of traps were used during the trip, record the size at the top of a separate column and record the number of traps of each size.

Mesh Sizes - Record the mesh sizes in inches, for example, a mesh size of 1 in. x 2 in. would be recorded as 1X2, a mesh size of 1 1/2 x 1 1/2 would be recorded as 1.5 in. x 1.5 in., etc.

Average Soaked Time - Record the average time in hours that your traps were left in the water between hauls.

Baited - Check the box if bait was used in the traps.

Record the amount of catch in numbers of fish and pounds (do not include fractions of pounds) for each species that were caught on this trip. It is important to record the pounds by the correct product type (i.e., gutted or whole). Catch is defined here as the amount of fish that were caught and landed (i.e., delivered to the dock). Where fish were discarded, record the numbers of fish and whether they were alive or dead. Also, if any sea turtles were caught incidentally during this trip, record the number of animals, the number injured and the number killed by species.

FMP COMPLIANCE LOGBOOK

Captain's Name (Please Print):		Phone Number: ()	
Captain's Signature:			
Vessel ID:	Federal Permit:		
Vessel Name:			
If NO FISHING occurred during the month, enter month and year and STOP Month Year			
Date Sailed:		Date Landed:	
Month Day Year	Month Day Year		
Port of Landing:		Town/City/Port State	
Sold To:		Dealer's Name	
Dealer's City/State:			
Complete the rest of the form in full for ANY change in GEAR or LOCATION OF ONE DEGREE OR MORE of Latitude or Longitude. Use as MANY PAGES AS NECESSARY			
Date and Time Gear Set or Fishing Began		Month Day Year	<input type="checkbox"/> Am <input type="checkbox"/> Pm
Date and Time Gear Retrieved or Fishing Stopped		Month Day Year	<input type="checkbox"/> Am <input type="checkbox"/> Pm
Target:		<input type="checkbox"/> Shark <input type="checkbox"/> Swordfish <input type="checkbox"/> Reef <input type="checkbox"/> Mackerel <input type="checkbox"/> Shrimp <input type="checkbox"/> Other	
Latitude: North		Water Temperature: <input type="checkbox"/> °C <input type="checkbox"/> °F	
Longitude: West		Fishing Depth: <input type="checkbox"/> Ft <input type="checkbox"/> Fm	
<input type="checkbox"/> LONGLINE	<input type="checkbox"/> Shark <input type="checkbox"/> Pelagic	Mainline Length (Miles) Float Line Length (Feet)	Gangion Length (Feet) Number of Hooks
Number of Hooks Between Hooks		Number of Light Sicks	Soak Time (Hours)
Bait	<input type="checkbox"/> Dead <input type="checkbox"/> Alive	Line Treated Continuously?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
<input type="checkbox"/> TRAWL	<input type="checkbox"/> Bottom <input type="checkbox"/> Midwater	Number of Nets Average Tow Time (Hours)	Number of Tows
Describe Trawl on Line Below			
<input type="checkbox"/> GILL NETS	Soak Time (Hours)	Length	<input type="checkbox"/> Ft <input type="checkbox"/> Fm
Mesh Size	<input type="checkbox"/> Drift Net? <input type="checkbox"/> Anchored Net?	Depth/Width	<input type="checkbox"/> Ft <input type="checkbox"/> Fm
<input type="checkbox"/> HOOK & LINE	Number Units Fished	Average Number Hooks Per Unit	Total Hours Fished
Power Reel (Bandit)			
Rod & Manual Reel			
Rod & Electric Reel			
Hand Line			
<input type="checkbox"/> SPEAR FISHING	Explosive Points	Spear Guns	Sling/Pole Spear
Number of Divers			
Hours in the Water per Diver			
<input type="checkbox"/> BUOY LINE	Number of Lines Set	Line Length (Feet)	
(Vertical Longline)	Soak Time (Hours)	Number Hooks Per Buoy	
Bait	<input type="checkbox"/> Dead <input type="checkbox"/> Alive		
<input type="checkbox"/> REEF FISH LONGLINE	Number Of Sets Made	Average Number Hooks Per Set	
	Average Line Length (Miles)	Average Time Sets Fished (Hours)	
<input type="checkbox"/> FISH TRAPS	Total Number Set	Mesh Size	
	Average Soak Time (Hours)	Check if Baited	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/> OTHER GEAR USED (Describe):			

SPECIES	Number	Fish Kept		SPECIES	Number Kept	Number Discarded	
		Weight Gutted (lbs)	Weight Whole (lbs)			Alive	Dead
SNAPPER: Red				SWORDFISH			
Vermillion (Beehaver)				MARLIN: Blue			
Yellowtail				White			
Gray (Mangrove)				SALEFISH			
Mutton				SPEARFISH			
Lane				WAHOO			
Silk (Yellow)				DOLPHIN (Mani)			
Queen				TUNA: Bluefin			
HOGFISH				Yellowfin			
GROUPER: Black				Bigeye			
Red				Albacore			
Gag				Blackfin			
Red Hind				Skipjack			
Rock Hind				Black Skipjack			
Spotted Hind (Kitty Mitchell)				SHARK: Shortfin Mako			
Misty				Longfin Mako			
Naassu				Bigeye Thresher			
Scamp				Other Thresher			
Snowy				Oceanic Whitefin			
Warsaw				Blue Shark			
Yellowedge				Porbeagle			
Yellowfin				Silky			
Yellowmouth				Tiger			
JEWFISH				White			
WRECKFISH				Spinner			
AMBERJACK:				Greal			
Greater				Hammerhead			
Lesser				Scalloped Hammerhead			
Bandit (Amberline)				Smooth Hammerhead			
Aimaco Jack				Sandbar			
PORGY: Red				Blacklip			
Whitebone				Dusky			
Knobbed				Bignose			
Jolthead				Bull			
GRUNTS: White				Lemon			
Blue Striped				Night			
French				Nurse			
MARGATE: White				Sand Tiger			
Black				Sharpnose			
TRIGGERFISH:				Finetooth			
Queen				Blacknose			
Gray				Bonnet			
Ocean				Unclassified			
MACKEREL: King				OTHER SPECIES:			
Spanish							
COBIA							
TILEFISH: Gray							
Golden							
BUTTERFISH							
JACK CREVALLE							
BLUE RUNNER							
BLACK SEA BASS							
SEA TROUT							
BLUESFISH							
HAKE							
SPADEFISH							
OTHER SPECIES:							